



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of

Tsutomu ABE

Application No.: 09/892,884

Filed: June 28, 2001

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IMAGE
PROCESSING OF HAND-WRITTEN CHARACTERS
USING CODED STRUCTURED LIGHT AND TIME
SERIES FRAME CAPTURE (as amended)

Group Art Unit: 2623

Examiner: K. Siangchin

Docket No.: 109967

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**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.114, Applicant hereby requests continued examination.

☒ Applicant further requests entry and consideration of the submission filed April 21, 2005.
The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper

under 37 CFR §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 166762 in the amount of ☒ \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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